DISTRICT REPORTS.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains—Rice ...	7·30	6·61	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi ...	13·19	14·44	
Rangoon rice, 2nd sort ...		7·47	

Agricultural operations.—Weeds are being removed from ragi fields.

State of standing crops.—Want of rain is keenly felt.

Cattle are in good condition. Water and fodder are sufficiently available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Harrowing and weeding operations are being carried on in parts of the Kankanhalli, Bangalore, Nelamangala, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks. Transplanting of paddy is in progress under the Malur tank of the Channapatna Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Standing crops such as ragi, avare, togari, navane, sugar cane, potatoes and Karthika paddy, are reported to be in a fair condition.

Harvest and outturn.—Gingelly in parts of the Channapatna Taluk; potatoes in parts of the Anekal Taluk and Vaisakhi paddy in parts of the Hoskote Taluk are being harvested.

Yield—Hoskote, paddy 8 to 12 annas.
Anekal, potatoes 8 to 12 annas.

It is reported that the standing ragi crop in the Solur and Tavarekere Hoblis is attacked by "Bache insect."

10. Rain is insufficient for standing crops in the Hoskote, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli, Magadi, Channapatna and Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. In the Channapatna Taluk it is badly wanted. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.

11. Except for plague in Munnekolal, Yamalur and Begur villages of the Bangalore Taluk and Devisettihalli of the Hoskote Taluk, and cholera in Banavadi and Kudur villages of the Magadi Taluk and for an imported case of plague in Hulvenahalli of the Magadi Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Except for "Neradi roga" broken out among cattle in Bidrakuppe village, Anekal Taluk, cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Raiyats are engaged in ploughing and sowing their lands in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown.—Ragi in the Kolar, Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal and Srinivaspur Taluks; paddy in the Bowringpet and Mulbagal Taluks and in the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; horse gram in the Mulbagal and Kolar Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; avare in the Kolar, Chintamani and Srinivaspur Taluks; togari in the Kolar Taluk; and hutchyellu in the Bowringpet Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane, ragi and avare are in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are fair, the recent rainfall having helped sowing and revived crops already sown to some extent. More rain is still wanted. Food stuffs are available as also labour to the cooly classes.

11. Except for a few cases of plague in Bowringpet Town and for cholera in the Bagepalli and Goribidnur Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. But for a few cases of "" Chappe roga" in parts of the Bagepalli Taluk, cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Ragi in the Tumkur, Chiknayakanhalli and Gubbi Taluks, and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; paddy in the Maddagiri and Kunigal Taluks and in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk; jola in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; and horse gram in the Koratagere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in the Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks, yield 8 to 10 annas; sugar cane in the Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks, and in the Koratagere and Turuvekere Sub-Taluks, yield 10 annas.

Standing crops.—Ragi, paddy, sugar cane, horse gram, jola and cotton are reported to be withering for want of rain in all the taluks and in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in a few villages in the Maddagiri Taluk, small-pox in a few villages of the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, and cholera in a few villages in the Turuvekere Sub-Taluk, public health is good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy except in a few villages in the Tumkur Taluk where "Chappe roga" is said to prevail. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of the Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggadevankote, Gundlupet, Malvalli and Mandya Taluks.

Standing crops.—Are reported to be in good condition. Want of rain is felt in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet and Nanjangud Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Ragi and sugar cane in parts of the Seringapatam Taluk; paddy and til in parts of the Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks; ragi in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk; and til in parts of the Malvalli Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Except for plague in parts of the Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Hunsur and Nanjangud Taluks, and cholera in parts of the Chamrajnagar Taluk, public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Ragi, paddy, togari, avare and sugar cane in the Hassan Taluk; barawadi and transplanted paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, ragi, avare, castor and til in the Arkalgud Taluk; paddy, ragi, sugar cane and togari in the Belur Taluk: ragi, paddy, sugar cane, avare, togari, til, jola, horse gram, savé and haraka in the Channarayapatna Taluk; ragi, til, jola, black and green grams, coriander; avare, paddy, sugar cane and castor in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, ragi, castor, avare, til, jola and tadagani in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; and ragi, paddy and sugar cane in the Alur Sub-Taluk, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Sugar cane is being harvested in parts of the Hole-Narsipur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. More rain is reported to be required in parts of the Hassan, Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Arsikere and Hole-Narsipur Taluks. Mungar crops are said to be withering for want of rain in some parts of the Arsikere Taluk.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Hassan Taluk and in the Alur Sub-Taluk, and cholera in parts of the Hassan, Manjarabad and Channarayapatna Taluks.

12. Cattle are generally healthy except for "Midichalu and Metrikattu" in Kalgane and Bykere villages, respectively, of the Kasaba Hobli, Manjarabad Taluk.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy is being transplanted in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

Standing crops.—Paddy and sugar cane are reported to be in good condition throughout the district, except in a few villages of the Jade and Anavatti hoblis, of the Sorab Taluk, where the paddy crop is being damaged by grass hoppers. Koleroga prevails in the Sagar, Nagar and Tirthahalli Taluks.

10. Prospects of the season are good. It is reported that more rain is wanted for the paddy crop in the Shimoga, Honnali, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good except for plague in Shimoga Town and Benkipur village, small-pox in Shimoga Town and Channagiri and Tirthahalli Taluks and measles in the Channagiri Taluk.

12. Cattle are healthy except in parts of the Shikarpur and Sorab Taluks, where they are reported to suffer from "foot and mouth disease." Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being prepared for sowing horse gram in parts of the Tarikere Taluk.

Crops sown.—Paddy is being transplanted in parts of the Chikmagalur, Koppa and Sringeri Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar cane, jola, ragi, coffee, avare, togari, garlic, onions, gingelly, paddy, black gram, coriander, potatoes, thingalavare, chillies, castor and wheat in the Chikmagalur Taluk; navane, savè, horse gram and ragi in the Kadur Taluk; sugar cane, paddy, ragi, chillies, avare, togari, gingelly, castor and jola in the Tarikere Taluk; paddy and sugar cane in the Koppa Taluk; paddy, sugar cane, coffee and cardamom in the Mudgere Taluk; areca, coffee, and paddy in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk; and paddy and areca in Sringeri, are reported to be in good condition. But in parts of the Kadur and Chikmagalur Taluks they are reported to be fading for want of rain, Areca crops are reported to be affected by koleroga in parts of Koppa and Sringeri.

Crops harvested.—Potatoes, garlic, onions and thingalavare in the Chikmagalur Taluk; yield 6 to 8 annas; kar paddy and sugar cane in the Kadur Taluk, and cardamom in the Mudgere Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Rain is wanted throughout the district. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Cholera prevails in a few villages of the Chikmagalur Taluk, plague in some villages of the Chikmagalur and Tarikere Taluks and small-pox in Belagula village of the Mudgere Taluk. Otherwise public health is generally good.

12. "Foot and mouth disease" is prevailing among cattle in some villages of the Koppa Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*, such as paddy, sugar cane, sesamum, jola, castor, togari and ragi, are reported to be in good condition in the taluks of Chitaldrug, Hiriyur and Holalkere while the crops such as jola, horse gram, green gram, Bengal gram, sajje, savè, cotton, navane, castor, togari, sesamum, paddy, haraka, avare and chillies are reported to be withering for want of rain in the taluks of Challakere, Davangere, Molakalmuru, Jagalur and Hosdurga and the Sub-Taluk of Harihar.

Seeds sown.—Navane and cotton in the Chitaldrug and Holalkere Taluks; ragi in the Chitaldrug, Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks; paddy in the Challakere and Hiriyur Taluks; sajje in the Chitaldrug Taluk; and wheat in the Challakere Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Gidda ragi in the Challakere Taluk; yield 8 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are healthy except for "Chappe roga" in some villages of the Challakere Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

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